



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## San Francisco Bay Region



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City of Burlingame Wastewater Treatment Plant  
Attn: William E. Toci  
1103 Airport Blvd.  
Burlingame, CA 94612

NOTICE: Mandatory Minimum Penalties (MMPs) assessed under California Water Code  
Section 13385 for the City of Burlingame Wastewater Treatment Plant, San Mateo  
County, NPDES Permit No. CA0037788.

Dear Mr. Toci:

Enclosed is MMP Complaint No. R2-2007-0050. The Complaint alleges that during the period  
between July 1, 2004, and April 30, 2007, the City of Burlingame Wastewater Treatment Plant  
had two violations of its discharge limits. Both of these violations are subject to a \$6,000 MMP.

The Complaint describes the alleged violations in detail. As discussed below, the City may be  
allowed to spend up to \$6,000 on a supplemental environmental project (SEP) that is acceptable  
to the Executive Officer. The deadline for submittal of written comments and evidence, SEP  
proposals, and waivers is **September 6, 2007, at 5 p.m.**

I plan to bring this matter to the Water Board at its October 10, 2007, meeting. The City has the  
following options:

1. City representatives can appear before the Water Board at the meeting to contest the matter. Written comments and evidence shall be submitted by the deadline indicated above, and in accordance with the process set forth in the attached Public Notice. At the meeting, the Water Board may impose an administrative civil liability in the amount proposed or for a different amount, decline to seek civil liability, or refer the case to the Attorney General for judicial enforcement.
2. The City can waive the right to a hearing to contest the allegations contained in the Complaint by paying the civil liability in full or undertaking an acceptable SEP of up to the

amount indicated above and paying the remainder of the civil liability, all in accordance with the procedures and limitations set forth in the waiver attached to the Complaint.

If the City waives its right to a hearing, the City must mail and fax a copy of the signed waiver to the attention of Christine Boschen of my staff at (510) 622-2346. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Ms. Boschen (email [cboschen@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:cboschen@waterboards.ca.gov)).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lila Jang". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping tail on the last letter.

for Bruce H. Wolfe  
Executive Officer

Enclosure: Complaint No. R2-2007-0050

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